Doncaster Keeping Safe Forum

Minutes of the Keeping Safe Forum Meeting Doncaster Deaf Trust – Wednesday 10 July 2019, 10am – 12noon

Name	Representing
Natalie Bowler-Smith	Community Engagement Officer – Healthwatch Doncaster
Emily Green	Healthwatch Doncaster – minute taker
Kevin Reilly	Community
Joshua Marshall	Doncaster Housing for Young People
Tracey Hindson	Doncaster Foyer
Helena Blackburn	Doncaster Housing for Young People
Louisa Martiin	Creative Support
Dianne Fox	South Yorkshire Fire and Rescue
Marion Bend	VoiceAbility Doncaster
Diane Wardley	Royal Voluntary Service
Margaret Oakland	Community
Jean Stewart	Enrich
Elle Smith	Healthwatch Doncaster
Janine	Student at Healthwatch Doncaster

1. Welcome & introductions	Natalie welcomed everyone to the meeting and introductions were made.
2. Apologies	Some people could not make it to this meeting.
3. Review of the minutes from last meeting	Natalie went through the minutes of the last meeting held in May 2019. These were agreed and set as a true record by those at the last meeting.
4. Actions from the last meeting	Actions from the last meeting: There were no actions from the last meeting.
5. Di Fox – Hoarding	Di Fox came to the meeting and delivered an interesting presentation and discussion on Hoarding. Di Fox works with vulnerable individuals who are at high risk of Hoarding and she works with them to make them better both physically and mentally.

Future meetings	Action: Emily/ Natalie to update Safeguarding Adults Team on the ideas. Next meeting: Wednesday 18 September 2019 10am-12noon
	Natalie asked the forum on their ideas on what they think this Years Keeping Safe Event should include. One member suggested it should be aimed at 'Listening' 'You talk, we listen' ? Client choice and share their stories. The forum agreed it would be great to invite the speaker for 'Another Way' Suicide campaign to perform. Action: Natalie to lead on this. The forum also feel that it should be more creative and workshop based with speakers.
	Natalie gave an outline on the purpose of the Keeping Safe Sub Group. After past discussions, NBS and the sub group think it would be beneficial to nominate a forum member to attend the meetings and act as a link between the two groups. Action: Louisa Martin agreed to be the nominated person and the rep at Sub group meetings.
Any other Business	The forum had a discussion on considering a different accessible central venue in Doncaster to hold future meetings. Forum members gave suggestions on venues: CAST Doncaster, Comrades, Doncaster College, Carers Centre, Jazz Centre on Beckett Road. Action: Emily and Natalie are to look into this.
	Di Fox showed the forum a 'Clutter Image Rating' which the team to determine how a property is hoarded uses. If anyone is worried about a friend, relative or a neighbour they are to call the hotline.
	The forum was made aware on the risks associated to Hoarding: fire, falls, health risks, risk to householder and others and social isolation. The forum were also told the risks to the firefighters.
	visit to start to put prevention in place. People are also referred through well-being team. The forum then had a group discussion on what do people hoard. This can be anything and in many areas (communal area or properties).
	Di Fox spoke about the 'Safe and Well' partnership scheme which is a referral pathways for organisations to refer individuals at a risk of Hoarding/ self neglect. The Community Safe Team will then carry out a